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Dr. Jeannine M. Durkin, Superintendent Lowell Public Schools 155 Merrimack Street Lowell, MA 01852 June 05, 2019

Re: NFTE Entrepreneurial 'teacher Summit, July 12-18, 2019 Chicago, IL

Dear Mrs. Durkin:

I would like to request permission for Jill Taylor, NFTE Entrepreneurial Educator and Business Educator Wayne Taylor to attend the second annual NFTE Teacher Summit in Chicago, IL on July 12-18, 2019. This summit will focus on the theme of the teacher as an educational entrepreneur sponsored by the Network for Teaching Entrepreneurship. Sessions will explore various topics, including: Designing engaging learning experiences for students using entrepreneurship content as an engagement tool; best practices for blended instruction and project-based learning from NFTE teachers across the country; leveraging NFTE curriculum to support the Every Student Success Act (ESSA) priorities for career and college readiness and qualifying for Perkins funding; explore NFTE Entrepreneurship Pathway, from introductory learning experiences to in-depth programs.

The event cost for the 5 day summit is being covered through funding from the Network for Teaching Entrepreneurship; however, we are required to cover transportation to and from the event including;

Flight: \$283.96 per person; total \$567.92

Transportation while in Chicago: Not to exceed \$200

Long term parking at Logan: \$280

• Food Allowance: not to exceed \$152.08

The total cost of \$1,200 is covered by the Perkins Grant. There is **NO** cost to the district.

Thank you in advance for your consideration and support.

Sincerely,

Marianne E. Busteed

Head of Lowell High School

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